

CHAPTER 10 RECREATION

10-1. GENERAL. The use of certain facilities on Camp Bullis for recreational activities is authorized and encouraged and subject to the provisions of this chapter. Areas not authorized for recreation include impact areas, landing strips, small arms ranges, and any area identified as a restricted area or an off limits area. All areas outside the cantonment area are considered off limits for recreational purposes unless cleared through Camp Bullis Operations.

10-2. RECREATIONAL FACILITIES.

a. The following limited recreational facilities are available upon request for use by training units at Camp Bullis.

- (1) Softball field located in the vicinity of the helipad.
- (2) Softball field located in the vicinity of the Outdoor Recreation Center.
- (3) Running track and basketball court located near helipad.
- (4) Hunting is allowed during the state regulated seasons. A Camp Bullis hunting permit and a state hunting license is required of all individuals desiring to hunt on Camp Bullis. There will be no weapons (intended for recreational use) allowed in the training areas.
- (5) Fishing at the catfish pond (a stocked pond) is permitted on Camp Bullis during spring months. Call the Camp Bullis, Outdoor Recreation Center, 295-7529/7577, for available time frames. A daily activity card is required. These cards are issued at the Outdoor Recreation Center. Fees are charged based on weight of fish caught.
- (6) A picnic area, located near the Outdoor Recreation Center, is available for use by units. Picnic tables and grills are furnished. Requests for use of the picnic area should be forwarded to the Outdoor Recreation Center at the same time the training/range area request is submitted.
- (7) A recreation center located on Military Highway is available for private parties. The POC is Headquarters, Camp Bullis, 295-7611.

b. Limited sports equipment is available for issue from the Outdoor Recreation Center. This equipment is for units training at Camp Bullis.

c. In accordance with various federal, state, and Army regulations, treasure hunting, use of metal detectors, arrowhead hunting or similar activities are prohibited on Federal land, to include Camp Bullis. Further, Camp Bullis was used as an artillery range during and after World War I. All of Camp Bullis can be suspected to contain unexploded ordnance (UXO). Recreational users should be aware that any digging is prohibited. Any item suspected to be UXO should not be picked up or disturbed in any manner, but should be promptly reported to the appropriate authority.

10-3. CAMPING AND PICNICKING.

a. Picnics outside of the picnic area are not authorized.

b. Camp fires or picnic fires are authorized, but are subject to the following precautions:

(1) Fires will be confined in metal containers or in established picnic area fireplaces, as designated for the campsites and in the barbecue pits. No other fires are allowed.

(2) An area within 15 feet must be cleared of brush and combustible material prior to lighting a fire.

(3) No fire will be left unattended.

(4) Fires will be extinguished with water, and coals will be covered with earth prior to leaving the area.

(5) Violators of the above restrictions are subject to disciplinary actions, and may be barred from entering the Camp Bullis reservation.

c. Recreational camping is severely limited on Camp Bullis and strictly controlled. All sites are primitive in nature. Use of those sites must be scheduled through the Outdoor Recreation Center.

10-4. RECREATIONAL RANGES. A sporting range, archery range, and clay shooting range are available for use. All firing is coordinated through the Camp Bullis, Outdoor Recreation Center.